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ROOSEVELT EXPLAINS HIS PART IN

of Interior Had Full Power.

sectarian schools. It is said a state- when the question of the use of Indian

ment will be issued in a few days re- funds in sectarian schools was discuss-

BUSINESS FAIR EXCEPT IN SOUTH

New York, Feb. 3.-Branch offices | checked all branches of business in

of R. G. Dun & Co. at all leading cities that part of the country.

sion of Indian trust funds to support institutions.

Catholic mission schools is explained

and justified in a communication ad-

with the senate committee on Indian

director of the Catholic Indian mis-

of the United States report business

Charge of the Receipts of

Santo Domingo.

TREATY IS STILL PENDING

Ratification by Senate Desired at Once

-Finances of the Island to Be

Reorganized.

Santo Domingo City, Feb. 3.-Repre-

sentatives of the United States took

Treaty Ready to Sign.

Wants Immediate Ratification.

Independence of Senate With Additional Powers Recommended to Give Re-

lief to the Russian People---Committee of Ministers Reports.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 3.—The commit- | Second-Investigation of the powers | internal reorganization of the senate.

Third-Responsibility of officers.

legal powers by means of imperia &

their legal powers by imperial ordi- must be forbidden, and that in excep- The committee decided that it was

The committee decided to ask the

consent of the emperor for an interpre-

Senate Must Be Independent.

ate as opposed to all ministers and the Jan. 29.

of existing laws.

ceptions to the ordinary course of . ws right of legislative initiative.

tional cases, where the emperor has expedient to establish local courts of

ordered ministers to deliberate con- justice connected with the senate and

tee of ministers appointed by the czar and methods of action of those respon-

Morales vet

to hold back cotton has seriously tiations.

due and political influences to secure gard.

SECTARIAN USE OF INDIAN FUNDS

PRICE TWO CENTS.

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FAVORS REPEAL OF BANKRUPTCY LAW: FEB. 20 DATE OF SWAYNE HEARING

Wipe Out Relief for Debtors.

JUDGE FILES ANSWER

Upholds Charge Made Outside District in Impeachment Trial.

Washington, Feb. 3.-The house committee on judiciary today ordered a favorable report on the Clayton bill repealing the bankruptcy laws.

Resumes Impenchment Trial. Washington, Feb. 3 .- At 12:30 the senate resumed the impeachment case of Judge Swayne.

An order for the method of proceedure was adopted. John M. Thurston, counsel for Swayne, then read the lat ment. The answer is a very lengthy document.

Justiffen Expense.

Swayne's answer justified the charge of \$10 a day for expenses while holding court outside his district, saying such an allowance was intended to be fixed by law, and so accepted by the other judges.

Feb. 20 Date Trial.

At the conclusion of the reading of the answer, Feb. 20 was set as the date as the beginning of the regular trial and the senate resumed legislative business.

Puntoffice Bill Passes

Washington, Feb. 3.-The house to-

day passed the postoffice appropriation bill, which carried \$180,787,000.

ADJT. GEN. BELL

Colorado's Labor Unions Denounced by Ex-Gov. Peabody's Military Assistant in Flemarkable Manner.

Denver, Col., Feb. 3.-"Military necessity recognizes no laws, either civil contains over 300 names in addition liam S. Lurton of Jacksonville, Moror social," says Adjt. Gen. Bell in his to many unidentified bodies lying at gan county, and that Lurton told dembiennial report made public today.

The report contains some extraordinary sentiments expressed in an ex- store last night fired on passersby with- olas hotel Tuesday night, Jan. 3, that traordinary collection of words. As a out warning, killing a shopkeeper and he had been offered money to vote for 20. There has been no outbreak on piece of literature it is unique. The wounding another man. following are verbatim quotations:

"As military commander, the authority and dignity of the state of Colorado troops and strikers at Kounitzer facwere at all times upheld and asserted tory today the soldiers fired, killing in seeking to amcliorate a condition of six persons and wounding 48. dynamite, murder and assassination. Shooting also occurred at the Kellar under the guise of labor, that was in- lace factory. tolerable.

"Autocratic in name, political in its grafts, and speculative ip its incorpora- of Maxim Gorky's release is incorrect. ted 'trusts,' not the union recognized to Three of the eight members of the associate with working improvement in delegation to Interior Minister Sviathe condition of the honest working topolk-Mirsky, arrested Jan. 21, have people of the state, their wives' and been released provisionally pending an struct." Senators Cullom and Hopkins Dillingham will come to this country in ican finances. families' betterment, but fire-cating so- investigation, cialists and anarchists fired by an un-American press, the whole outfit will some day cause the lawmakers to both suppress and banish beyond the state Police Think It Too Cold to Drag for line, such action becoming a citizens' necessity by the lawmakers, and necessity for the protection and welfare of the individual who labors for wages, whom individually and collectively I have had the highest respect and regard for as well for their happiness and read: prosperity."

NEBRASKA'S GRAFT CHARGES

Lincoln Editor is Called to Answer Allegations of Lobbying.

Lincoln, Neb., Feb. 3.-Speake: Rouse of the Nebraska house yester NAVY YARD ROBBER SHOT day appointed a committee to investigate charges of undue influence by an Guard at Brooklyn Kills One Man, alleged railroad lobbyist. The action following the summoning before the bar of the house of H. T. Dobbins, edi-one of four men caught in the act of tor of the Evening News, to explain robbing the Brooklyn navy yard today, an article appearing in the paper, said was shot and instantly killed by Pri. stated, has made its report to the czar to reflect on a member. The house, vate Milton. Sebrey's companions est recommending: however, voted against an immediate caped. hearing.

Restriction Texas Proposes Placing on Those Seeking Divorce.

the senate bill forcing persons giving per gallon. ground for action in divorce cases to remain single for three years, other parties to the divorce to remain single a year.

Belgian Miners Strike.

Congressional Act May CREST OF COLD WAVE PASSES EASTWARD!

A BAD BLIZZARD BEING EXPERIENCED TO THE SOUTHWEST-TEMPERATURE AWAY DOWN AT PITTSBURG AND

Chicago, Feb. 3.-The crest of the below zero temperatures in Missouri cold wave has passed east. The mer- and Kansas. cury here today touched 10 below zero. and then climbed slowly up. Notwithstanding it is moderating throughout the west and northwest low temperatures continue. The weather bureau weather in six years was experienced predicts warmer weather with snow early today in this city and vicinity, during the next 24 hours.

Kansas, Oklahoma and Arkansas, with obliged to quit work.

garding the matter. Zero weather and below is report

middle states

Pittsburg, Feb. 2.—The coldest the mercury ranging from 7 to 16 below zero. Owing to a bad break in a At La Crosse, Wis., it was two de- gas main in West Virginia a gas shortgrees colder than yesterday, the ther- age is general all over the county. Inmometer registering 32 below. A bliz- tense suffering resulted and a numzard is prevailing throughout Missouri, ber of manufacturing plants were

HAVE KILLED 300 IS CAUCUS AFFAIR

and Soldiers at Warsaw.

Number of Dead and Wounded Grows.

Warsaw, Feb. 3.-Serious disorders

Sosnovice.

300 Dead On List.

According to the best information obtainable the official list of persons killed during the disturbances here the receiving vault in the cemetery. A group of soldiers outside a liquor held in the clubroom of the St. Nich-

Strikers Again Fired On.

Lodz. Feb. 3.-In a conflict between

Gorky Not Released.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 3.—The report

"DOVE" A SUICIDE, SAYS NOTE

Joliet, Ill., Feb. 3.-William Parker of 115 South Bluff street, took to the police station a cap found on the west end of the Jefferson street bridge over the river, together with a note, which

"This ends all. DOVE." SIGNIFICANT REFORM PROGRAM SUBMITTED. TO scrap paper and written in a scrawling hand, Capt. Murphy thought it too cold to drag the river for the body of the murderer of Chauffeur Bate.

Confederates Escaping. New York, Feb. 3.-James Sebrey,

STAY SINGLE THREE YEARS PRICE REFINED OIL CUT CENT GALLON nances.

Cleveland, Feb. 3.-The Standard Austin, Texas, Feb. 3.—The lower Oil company today reduced the price posed to all the ministers. house of the legislature today passed on all grades of refined oil one cent

Missouri Slayer Must Hang. Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 3.-The supreme court, en banc, affirmed the judgment of the lower court which stated, distinguished three fundamenconvicted William Rudolph of the tal points as the basis for defense of Mons, Belgium, Feb. 3 .- About 14, murder of Detective Schumacher two the laws: 000 coal miners struck today for high- years ago at Union, Mo., and sentenced First-Prevention of violation of him to be hanged on March 17.

WEST, HOWEVER, STILL SUFFERS SEVERELY

GAS SUPPLY SHORT.

ed in Ohio. Pennsylvania and other

Pittsburg Hit Hard.

RUSSIA CANCELS HEAVY MAIL ORDER:

ter's answer to the articles of impeach. Official List of Victims of Police Only Charge Made Specific by

MANY OTHERS NOT IDENTIFIED BRIBE TO VOTE FOR SPEAKER progressing fairly satisfactorily except

Clashes With Strikers Continue and Senate Modifies Resolution Calling on Rate Program.

have broken out at Lodz where 25,000 garded as the only case Representa men are striking. Some of the em- tive Comerford of Chicago can make ployes left the factory and attempted in support of his boodle charges to return to work, but the remainder against the Illinois general assembly forcibly prevented them. A strong was practically disclosed last night in military patrol was summoned and at the issue of summonses to ten persons tacked and fired at the strikers who to appear before the house investigatreplied with revolver shots. It is re- ing committee to testify Monday ported over the telephone the firing morning at 9 o'clock. Even this is not RANTS IN REPORT still continued at 1 o'clock this after- regarded as an answer to boodle Strikes were started this morning Nor does it involve any member of in the coal districts of Dombrowa and the house either criminally or morally, according to inside information.

erford will attempt to show that money was offered to Representative Wilocrats sitting in the "Tippit caucus," M. L. McKinley of Chicago for minor- the part of the opponents of President | One of His Wives Swears he Married

Tempered Gray Resolutions.

Notwithstanding the efforts of cerpear that the senate majority is seeking to shield Senators Cullom and be signed at once and will reach Wash- Schmidt and after three weeks he de Hopkins from the moral effect of the ington by the end of next week, per-serted her after she had given to him Gray freight rate resolution, 26 out of haps being brought here by Command- all her savings, \$500. er A. S. Dillingham, of the naval of-Gray measure. The resolution as fice, sent to Assistant Minister Daw- der that the United States may begin to support the freight rate reform pol- a man-of-war.

Rockefeller to Give \$35,000.

The college is not yet built.

into effect the ukase of Dec. 25, it is

1. Wider powers to the senate, en-

2. Forbidding ministers to exceed

3. Independence of the senate as op-

4. The creation of the office of pres

5. The establishment of lower courts

Three Fundamental Points.

The committee of ministers, it is

larging its legislative initiative.

ident of the senate.

connected with the senate.

Representative Comerford, of Chicago.

Cullom and Hopkins to Support

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 3.-What is re charges as they affect the legislature.

Concerns a Caucus.

This information is that Mr. Com-

cy of President Roosevelt.

"FLAGRANT, WILFUL

United States Has Assumed

ful and continuous violations of the interstate commerce laws" during the past five years is the way in which the Santa Fe railroad is arraigned in a decision promulgated today by the interstate commerce commission on "the alleged unlawful rates and practices" of that road in the transportation of coal and mine supplies, involving also the Colorado Fuel & Iron control of the custom house receipts company.

Wednesday, in accordance with the terms of the protocol signed here Jan. JOHANN HOCH IDENTIFIED

Her Under Another Name. New York, Feb. 3.-Johann Hoch Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.-Negotia- was identified by Mrs. Hary Hendricks, tain state senators, members of the tions of the treaty providing for the of Chicago, today as the man who mar house and the anti-"federal crowd" re- financial control of the island of Santo ried her on Jan. 2, 1904, in Hammond, publicans of both houses to make it ap- Domingo by the United States were Ind. Mrs. Hendricks said Hoch marconcluded yesterday. The treaty will ried her under the name of Jacob

amended "requests," but does not "in- son in the negotiations. Commander at once the regeneration of the Domin-

Distrust Ends in Bank Run.

It is a race on the part of the admin-Lancaster, Pa., Feb. 3.-After with Jackson. Miss., Feb. 3 .- John D. istration against time. The president drawing their deposits quietly for ten Rockefeller has, it is said, agreed to does not want to wait until next fall days, depositors yesterday afternoon give \$35,000 as an endowment for the during the proposed extra session of started a run on the Lancaster Trust Mississippi Baptist college, if the Bap- congress to obtain the ratification of company. The bank was kept open tists of the state will raise \$100,000, the treaty. It is desired the treaty until 6 o'clock to meet demands. It shall be ratified before March 4 in or- has \$500,000 surplus.

AND CONTINUOUS"

An official of the United States Steel

Moody's communication, dated Feb.

2, 1905, sets forth the record of the

Secretary Still Had Power.

Interstate Commerce Commission Characterizes Discriminations of the Santa Fe.

Washington, Feb. 3.-"Flagrant, wil against a cost of \$50 per horse power

sonal relations with the emperor.

Change Civil Laws.

GRIPPENBERG RESIGNS: NOT PROPERLY SUPPORTED

AMERICAN FLEET GOES TO UPHOLD

Paris, Feb. 3 .- An official dispatch ed, and the president asked for an opin- from Manila says an American squadion as to his authority to direct that ron composed of 15 warships sailed Washington. Feb. 3.- President contracts be made for the use of such today from the island of Luzon for Roosevelt's connection with the diver- funds by denominational educational southern waters of the archipelago Consummate Generalship with the object of maintaining neutrality in American waters both as ta Senator Knox, then attorney general, the Russian or Japanese fleets.

dressed to the president by Attorney decided that the action of congress in General Moody which was filed today declaring it to be the policy of the gov-

ernment not to permit the use of pubaffairs by Rev. William H. Ketcham, lic moneys of the American people for sectarian purposes did not repeal previous laws giving the secretary of the interior discretion to use Indian funds | That Planned at Keokuk Will be Ketcham appeared before the com- in any manner he saw fit. Certain Largest Structure of mittee to defend his bureau against laws were cited to direct attention to Kind in World. the charges that it had been using un- the president's authority in that re-

BILL PASSED BOTH HOUSES

60,000 Horse Power Will be Developed and Cost Will be \$3.500,000.

Keokuk, Iowa, Feb. 3.-The Keokuk corporation said today negotiations for and Hamilton water power bill passed the sale of a large tonnage of steel by the senate yesterday provides for for weather disturbances that are expected at this season. Practically ev. been suspended. It is understood Rus- the world, to cost more than \$3,000, ery cotton section except the south sia's internal troubles are chiefly re- 000, and the money already is in sight. has improved steadily, but the effort sponsible for the suspension of nego- It will generate electricity for many Illinois and lowa towns on the Misssis sippi river at the foot of the rapids here. The bill passed the house on Jan. 27.

The bill gives permission to a private corporation to build a dam at the Nogi was present at Sandiapu, where foot of the rapids in the Mississippi between Keokuk and Hamilton, Ill.

60,000 Horse Power. Capital stands ready to spend \$3, 500,000 in developing the 60,000 horse power now going to waste in the raplds at Keokuk, in order to manufacture power at \$9 per horse power per year.

in coal burning engines. Lyman E. Cooley, an engineer, drew the plans, which have been indorsed by the Transmississippi Commercial congress, leading members of congress, and by the Illinois legislature Senators Cullom and Allison also took great interest in the plan to harness the swiftest rapids in the Father of Waters and set its forces to work to turn the wheels in all the cities and towns within a radius of 40 miles of

Keokuk. A board of army engineers also took testimony at great length from expert Niuyupao, Shufangtai and a portion of river men as to the feasibility of the Changtan, project. This board was composed of Col. Alexander Mackenzie, chief of engineers, United States army; Capt. William V. Judson, Capt. Edward Burr, and Capt. Charles McKenstry.

This board reported that the proposed dam "would not be an impediment to navigation, but would, upon the whole, be a benefit."

Benefits Many Cities.

power transmission of 40 miles from failure. The Japanese were at Heik-Keokuk the following cities in Illinois outai but withdrew the small force are located: Hamilton, Warsaw, Nau- from that place the Russians occupyvoo, Carthage, Augusta, La Harpe, ing the positions until they could move Colchester, Macomb. Quincy, and over enough men to make its recap-Camp Point, all of them enthusiastic ture certain, over the project. Keckuk, Fort Madison, West Burlington, Burlington, New London, Farmington, and Keosauqua loss is heavy. The casualties have not in Iowa, are the cities which will be

MUST GIVE NOTICE OF STRIKE saged at Heikoutai. They were driven

Connecticut Senate Bill Aids to Prevent Interruption of Service. Hartford, Conn., Feb. 3 .- A senate

Yale law school, designed to prevent Japanese positions immediately east interruption of public service by labor troubles, has been presented.

In order to accelerate the course of to draw up a reform program to carry sible for the administration of the justice in administration affairs, it was decided to be advisable to facilitate strike for higher wages of a reduction in hours of labor without giving three days' notice, and compels coraccess to the senate by persons who porations before reducing wages or As regards the first point, the com- have suffered from the arbitrary acts increasing hours of labor to give three mittee decided that it was necessary of administrative bodies, and also to days' notice to employes. The bill was to prevent ministers exceeding | "oir afford the right of direct relations between the senate and the emperor and referred to the labor committee. dinances, and that consequently al x- the extension of the senate's existing

SIX EAST ST. LOUIS

cerning charges, the decisions of the the institution in the senate of the post committee must first be submitted to of first president with the right of per- Damage of \$25,000 Done by Fire in ther activity. Largest Office and Store Building.

A number of other changes clarifytation of existing laws and other points ing the rights of plaintiffs under the affecting the methodical carrying out civil code and in the general way of securing a broader interpretation and largest office and store buildings here boat destroyers, sailed from here yesconstruction of the laws were decided were destroyed or badly damaged by terday to join the warships command-The committee also agreed upon the by the committee; and all the propos- fire early today. Several persons were ed by Rojestvensky off the island of necessity of independence of the sen- als were sanctioned by the emperor injured. The loss was \$265,000, par- Madagascar. Eighteen German coltially insured.

Report of Clash of Authority With Gen. Kuropatkin.

RUSSIANS

Enemy Caused Defeat in Recent Battle.

St. Petersburg, Feb. 3 .- An uncon firmed rumor is in circulation that Lieut. Gen. Grippenberg has asked to be relieved of his command because of the alleged failure of Kuropatkin to afford him proper support in operations against Sandepas,

Capture, Then Lose.

or has received the following from Kuropatkin: "The Japanese during the night of the 31st attacked and captured Djantanchenan on the left bank of the Hun river but were subsequently driven off

St. Petersburg, Feb. 3.-The emper-

with great loss. The Russian casual-"The Japanese, after a severe canionade reattacked our forces at Djantanchenan at noon, Feb. 1, the Russians firing it retired, but ultimately reoccupied the village, although some of the outlying parts are still in the

hands of the enemy. Fell Into Trap.

Mukden, Feb. 3.—The impression is general among the Russian troops on the Russians ascribe their greatest osses to cleverly concealed batteries behind the main works. The Japanese withdrew from their outworks at Sandiapu, which at one time the Russians occupied.

Orders to Retire Premature.

Gen. Mitschenko is still advancing and carrying out the flanking movement intending to cut the railway north of Liaoyang and was taking outpost after outpost prisoners when the order to retire came.

Oyama Heard From.

Tokio, Feb. 3.-Field Marshal Oyama telegraphing yesterday reports that the extreme Japanese left holds the line along the Hun river with its extreme right established on the right bank. The main body of Russians after their defeat at Heikoutai retreated across the Hun river and occupied

Wednesday the Russians began constructing defensive works in the neighborhood of those towns. The Russians made a series of small attacks on the right of the army and the left flank of the left army but were repulsed in

each instance. Russian Attempt Fallure.

Oku's Headquarters, Jan. 30,-(Delayed.)-The Russian attempt to turn Within the radius of economical Oku's left flank has proved a complete

> yet been reported but it is believed they will amount to fully 3,000, The Russians had five divisions en-

The reoccupation of this position

was easily accomplished, although the

ack by less than two Japanese divis-Russian Force Strong.

Over 100,000 men were engaged in the Russian demonstration against the of Heikontai. The force was strong enough to have been successful, as only about one Japanese division was corporation of a public nature shall sent against them. The Russian loss is estimated at over 4,000, although the prisoners say one regiment was practically annihilated. The Japanese loss is placed at 200, due to the fact that they remained in the trenches while the Russians were forced to cross the open ground, solidly frozen, where the construction of shellers trenches was

impossible. The Japanese suffered some disadvantages in the recapture of Yeigout-BUILDINGS BURNED ai. The weather was very cold during the fighting. The Russians retired well out of range with no sign of fur-

Botrovsky Sails.

Jibutil, Feb. 3 .- The division of the second Russian Pacific squadron commanded by Admiral Botrovsky consist-East St. Louis, Feb. 3.-Six of the ing of four cruisers and three torpedo Here will fellow Botrovsky's division.

Makes Public Communication From Attorney General Moody---Knox's Opinion Held Secretary Washington, Feb. 3 .- At the cabinet | the use of trust funds for Catholic meeting today Secretary Hitchcock schools. took up the subject of the use of the Indian trust funds for the benefit of cabinet meeting held in January, 1904,